

Monday, February 18th, 1828.

The Senate met. Present the same members as on Saturday, except Messrs. Marriott, pres't, Lloyd, Nelson and Thomas.

The proceedings of Saturday were read.

The members present proceeded to the election of a president pro tem. The ballot box being prepared, the ballots were deposited therein, and on examination thereof by the clerk, it appeared that Kinsey Harrison, Esq. was elected, and he accordingly took the chair.

Mr. Heath offered the following resolution, which was read the first. and by special order a second and third time, assented to and sent to the house of delegates.

Resolved by the general assembly of Maryland, that the Governor be, and he is hereby requested to transmit to the executive of the state of Pennsylvania, two official copies of the act entitled, "An act to incorporate the Baltimore and Susquehanna Rail Road Company," with a request that he will lay the same before the Legislature of that state.

The bill to open and lay out certain streets, lanes and alleys in Westminster, Frederick county, was returned to the house of delegates.

On motion of Mr. Heath, the bill to authorise the president, managers and company of the Washington and Baltimore Turnpike Road Company to construct a rail road from the city of Baltimore to the District of Columbia, in the direction of the city of Washington, was ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Kennedy, the bill to regulate the issuing of licences to traders, keepers of ordinances, and others, the same being the order of the day, was ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Kennedy from the committee on insolvencies made a favorable report upon the bill for the relief of Thomas D. Singleton. The said bill was then read a second, and by special order a third time. Mr. Forrest moved to lay the bill on the table, and the question was put and determined in the negative.

The question was then put, shall the bill pass? Determined in the affirmative, and the bill was returned to the house of delegate.

Mr. Dennis from the committee made a favorable report upon the bill to change the place of holding elections for